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All persons holding claims against the estate of

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# CURRENT TOPICS.

BY MRS. HATTIE GRINNELL.

Clara Barton, the great Red Cross

nurse, says there are 50,000 destitute

children of reconvicts in Cuba—A

chance for some one to do work of

charity.

The venerable Phil Thompson dates

ex-Governor Brown as the "Hiding Son

of the Kentucky Democracy." Gov.

Brown's speech at Lexington was a feel-

ing one.

I am thinking French and Price will

have to make a change of program if

they expect future patronage from Bran-

denburg—People get tired of the monoy-

opoly of gasoline or electricity.

Every one who chooses may expect

the automobile but I'll take the

whip, the odor of engine, the buckle

honor, clatter, the flies, the dust, every-

thing with the prancing, dashing steed,

instead of gasoline or electricity.

Russell Sage is eighty-three and at-

tributes his still active temperament to

being strictly temperate in all things

he was not quite so temperate when he

made an effort to "lie up Wall street"

with Jay Gould.

Studying French by correspondence

long since been proven a success.

Now chess by correspondence, or by

telephone, is just as sure a success.

Completed and critical situations arise,

but that makes it more interesting.

A pen portrait of Attorney General

Taylor, by Young, is in the last

week's News as an able article by an

able man. Mr. Allison thinks we might

place the gubernatorial reins in General

Taylor's hands as a safe, trustworthy,

capable man, and he sets him far above

Senator Gobel in ability and courage to

lead.

I can very much excoriated over the

coming regatta and from present indi-

cations, I am afraid the Shamrock will

possibly claim the coveted trophy, the

"Columbia" cup." However the "Col-

umbia" may prove as swift as the old

"America" in the big international race.

Our college boys have just returned

from English teams. Let us hope our

girls are not so much with a similar

defeat.

Let us in deploring the late Robt.

Logan's agonizing, remember that one

of the greatest temperance orators ever

delivered in the English language was

delivered by him, in a case when he was

defending a liquor dealer. It was one of

the finest specimens of eloquence, and

one of the most remarkable orations in

the history of the world. It was a

fall from the lips of man. Truly no one

in all the world is all good or all bad.

We congratulate the country on the

passage of the anti-conviction act. We

representative the wishes of the American

people, and that Attorney General

Briggs should nullify the act is enough

to show indignation in every breast.

The work of the Epworth League at

Indianapolis in July is to be commended

for its resolution on this subject as well

as the election of Mr. Robert D. Owen

to the House of Representatives, being

punishment to all Christians.

That "Tattler" the Times under-

stands human nature to a fret. "Girls

that have no beauty, girls that want to

dance, but haven't an opportunity" etc.

Of course their mothers don't approve

of such and such, and of this sort of

good reason why—Mothers enjoy their

daughters being paid attention as much

as the daughters themselves. Precious

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INTERPRISING FARMERS OF NEW JERSEY.

...mission or consumers' door, thus being in a much better condition for sale than when going through its different stages of handling to and from the boat. The farmer, however, has to pay a commission to the consignee's door. Thus the farmer saves by marketing his own produce, whereas he loses the commission by being an agent to disposed of its directly to the consumer. The commission is 10 to 15 per cent, on an average load of 150 barrels, the commission would be somewhere in the neighborhood of six dollars. This, added to the ten dollars saved in transportation, equals the saving to the farmer of 16 dollars.

"This calculation seems large, but it was one-half realized, it shows how stone roads benefit the farmers. The result has been where the early opposition of the farmers of Gloucester county was overcome, and the Legislature has passed some and petitioned to the Legislature to have the stone-road law either abrogated or the mandamus or forcing clause stricken out, that applications are being made to the Legislature to have the

The construction of macadam roads in 1865 was forty-six miles, in 1898 about fifty miles; in 1897, about seven miles, and in 1898 about eighty-five miles. The State appropriation has not been increased, but the mileage has become greater, owing to a better understanding of the principles of road-building and the ability to carry away with it the obnoxious material which formerly was considered necessary. Comparative this roads of eight or six inches or sometimes even less, have been laid with good results. In Monmouth and Atlantic counties gravel roads have largely been built to some of the most populous centers, and answer very well in thinly populated sections.

"The present cost of the road runs at the way from twenty to seventy, considering the yard. A system of continuous water courses has been adopted, so that lines are nearly completed from Jersey City to Atlantic City and from Jersey City through Morris and Passaic counties, while many lateral roads join these main ones and run out from the county seats and important towns. A strong desire is being manifested for an increase in the State appropriation for a system of roads to meet the present rate of demand, would hardly keep up with the quantities being received."

There have been changes made in the precinct that nine out of every ten voters would have opposed had they had the opportunity. Public roads are public property, and are not supposed to be for personal benefit or personal gain. Thereby competing road hands that have worked their six days to work more to change a good road to a bad one.

We should begin to think of the just question, as it must be settled one way or the other, either with a tax altogether or without any tax at all.

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**DR. KENNEDY & KERGAN**  
122 W. FOURTH ST.

urine are signs of clogged kidneys, causing poisoned germ filled blood. Sometimes the heart acts badly, and tubercles [wasting of the kidneys] are found in the urine, which if neglected will re-

(Held from last week.)

Very warm

Corn is sowing very regular. Chins

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Considerable hub timber is being hauled from here to Hawesville.

Mrs. Emma Loom, of Blackfoot, is visiting relatives here this week.

Rev. Hazel Harbbs, of Louisville, will begin a series of meetings in the hall at this place, on Thursday night.

Transportation.—The railroads give one and one third fare for round trip on the certificate plan. Tickets at regular rates and take re-

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...because it is Best. It is Best, because it is Cheapest.  
 DENTAL, and adds beauty to any place. Its good points are Beauty, Long  
 Lasting Qualities. It is built on scientific principles. Every one who  
 years after it is put in it is as good as new. It is a good thing to have another  
 and the best of all.









# THE DEPARTMENT

ON AND AFTER SEPTEMBER 15th, 1899, WE WILL CARRY A WELL SELECTED STOCK OF

## Ladies' and Gents' Furnishing Goods

INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING LINES:

Men's Fancy Shirts,  
Men's Working Shirts,  
Ladies' and Gents' Shoes,  
Clothing, Hats and Caps,  
Ladies and Gents' Underwear,  
Corsets, Gloves, Laces,  
Embroideries, and a Complete Line of  
Watches, Clocks and Jewelry.

WE ARE DETERMINED to close out our entire line of Dry Goods, Notions, Groceries Hardware, Tinware, Queensware and Glassware and offer some bargains. Look at these prices.

## DRY GOODS.

All light Calico 3 1/2 yard, formerly 4c yard.  
All dark Calico 4c yard, formerly 5c.  
Percales, 5c, 6c, 8c, formerly 7 1/2c, 9c, 10c yard.  
Piques, 10c, 11c, 12c, formerly 12 1/2c, 15c, 17 1/2c yard.  
Table Linens, 30c, 40c, 50c, formerly 40c, 50c, 65c yd.  
Flannels, 20c, 25c, 30c, formerly 30c, 40c, 50c yard.  
Toweling, 5 1/2c, 6c, 8c, formerly 7 1/2c, 8c, 10c yard.  
Lonsdale and Masonville Cotton 7c, formerly 7 1/2c yard.  
All goods in this department at and below cost.

## Glassware and Queensware

Tea Cups and Saucers 20c, 35c, 40c set formerly 25c, 40c, and 50c.  
Plates 30c and 40c set, formerly 40c and 50c.  
Wash Bowls and Pitchers 60c, 85c, \$1.00 formerly 75c, \$1.00, and \$1.25.  
Tumblers 10c and 40c, formerly 20c and 50c.  
Goblets, 25c, 30c, 35c set, formerly 30c, 40c, 50c.  
Lamp Chimneys 4c formerly 5c.

## GROCERIES.

Quart Can Syrup 8c, formerly 10c.  
Extra quality Salmon 12c, formerly 20c.  
Good quality Salmon 8c, formerly 10c.  
Pine Apple, sliced and Grated, 15c, formerly 20c.  
Grand Pa's Soap 4c, formerly 5c.  
Rub-No-More and Gold Dust 4c, formerly 5c.  
Black Pepper, grain or ground 15c, formerly 20c.  
Green Tea 3 1/2, 4 1/2, and 6 1/2 pound, formerly 40c, 60c and 80c pound.  
Arm & Hammer Soda 4c package, formerly 5c.  
All Groceries reduced in proportion.

## HARDWARE.

1 inch Strap Hinges 8c pair, formerly 10c.  
3 inch Strap Hinges 10c pair, formerly 15c.  
Door Hinges 8c pair, formerly 10c.  
Screws, all sizes, 1 1/2 dozen formerly 3c dozen.  
Door Locks 20c each, formerly 25c.  
Door Locks 7c formerly 10c cents.  
We have a full line of Hardware that must be disposed of. A large stock of nails at cost.

## TINWARE.

4 quart covered buckets 8c, formerly 10c.  
6 quart covered buckets 10c, formerly 15c.  
8 quart covered buckets 15c, formerly 20c.  
Wash Pans 4c formerly 5c.  
Pie Pans, 3c formerly 5c.  
Pudding Pans 4c and 5c, formerly 5c and 10c.  
A large lot of granite ware at reduced prices.

# S. E. MAN & CO.

"THE BRICK,"

IRVINGTON, KY.

### BRECKENRIDGE NEWS.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16, 1899.

#### BEWLEYVILLE.

Mrs. Rosa Rippe is visiting her relatives here.

The August school question is up for discussion.

Miss Nellie Clarkson continues to visit Mrs. John Cox.

Ray Keith took Miss Monnie Hunter to Freedom Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Jordan is at home from a pleasant visit to friends in the city.

Miss Anna Williams, a little lady from the city, is visiting Maggie Blanche Jolly.

Our school premises well. We hope with confidence to have an excellent term.

Thos. Cain went round by Irvington for Miss Annie Lee Bailey, to go to the Freedom meeting.

Miss Mary Peyton, of Galois of Rough, is the guest of her grandfather, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Hardaway.

Miss Alberta Drury and brothers Thos. and Warren, arrived at home Saturday, from a visit to relatives at Brandenburg.

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ance counties in Indiana. The business men of Angora, the county seat, are giving public testimony to the fact that business is much better, and more of it done on a cash basis than ever before. There is now no representative from Steuben county in Indiana Reformatory, and only two in the Indiana prison, and they were sent there the saloons were banished. It is said rarely is there an occupant of the county jail.

It is stated in the Youth's Companion that the little book by Charles Sheldon entitled "What Would Jesus Do?" has reached the extraordinary sale of three million copies in England. This is certainly a wonderful book, and one that keeps your attention from beginning to end. Besides being interesting it is of great spiritual benefit to its readers and I could do you no greater favor than to induce you to read it. Get a copy for your own, you may have it for 25c.

The strong opposition of the Catholic Church to intemperance, is thus stated in a personal letter of Pope Leo XIII. to Archbishop Ireland, as follows: "Above all, we have rejoiced to learn with what energy and zeal, by means of various excellent associations, and especially through the Catholic Total Abstinence Union, you combat the destructive vice of intemperance. Nor can we sufficiently praise the prelates of the United States, who recently in the Plenary Council of Baltimore, with weighty words condemned this abuse, declaring it to be a perpetual incentive to sin and a fruitful root of all evil, plunging the families of intemperate into the direct ruin, and driving numbers of souls down to everlasting perdition."

#### GOLDEN RIDGE.

Farm Journal for the balance of 1899 and all of 1900, 1901, 1902 and 1903, nearly five years, to every subscriber who will pay one year in advance for the Breckeenridge News. No better farm paper than the Farm Journal. This offer is only made to a limited number—the first who come forward.

#### BIG SPRING.

Tom Haslin returned to Campbell, Ill., last Thursday.

Charles Morris came Friday and remained until Sunday.

Miss L. H. Campbell, of Louisville, is here the guest of Mrs. Meyer.

B. R. Clarkson and H. Maynard, were in Brandenburg last Thursday.

Mr. James Harned has returned from St. Louis, where she was visiting.

Chas. Newman came Friday from Centerville where he is teaching.

sonville, for a stragulated hernia last Sunday. The patient at this writing is doing well.

Charles Calvert and wife, Louisville, are here the guest of Mrs. Julia Clarkson.

A protected meeting will begin here at the Baptist church the third Sunday of this month.

Berney Schomson and family, of Vine Grove, spent Sunday here the guests of H. Meyer and wife.

One of our young ladies will soon be led to the hymenal altar by a Washington county, gentleman.

Miss Ore Watson, after an absence of several months with her sister, Mrs. Dr. Ray, of Rome, Ky., returned home last Wednesday.

Miss Lili Clarkson and her guest, Miss Maynard, have come to spend a few weeks with Miss Ellen Owsley, of Burlington, Ky.

Joe Horrell, of Cecilia, came Sunday and was the guest of Miss Daisy Meador. He was accompanied home by his sister, Miss Georgie, who has been visiting friends here.

#### Red Hot From the Gun

Was the ball that hit G. B. Stedman of Newark, Mich., in the Civil War. It caused horrible Ulcers that no treatment helped for 20 years. Then Bucken's Arnica Nerve cured him. Cures Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Bolls, Falses, Corns, Skin Eruptions. Best Cure on earth. Sold by Short & Harves, Druggists.

#### WEST POINT.

A new girl at the home of A. B. Collins.

Mrs. Daniels is visiting her mother, Mrs. Applegate.

A number of our young people enjoyed a hayride Monday evening.

Lilly Penny Shearer is spending this week with her grandparents.

Miss Beanie Long has returned home after a short stay in Louisville.

Miss Irene Hall, of Louisville, is visiting her grandfather, Mr. W. R. Hall.

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The parents have the sympathy of the entire community.

On last Saturday evening a croquet party was given by Miss Jessie Hall and the following who were present reported a grand time: Misses Fannie and Julia Linney, of Louisville, Mabel Withers, Fanny and Ada Lewis, Libby Taylor, Jessie Hall, Nellie and Linda Shuts, Ida Williams, Nancy Bert Meffer, Henry Boden, Will Meffer, of Louisville, T. C. Williams, Wm. Walker, Tom Linney, Sam Hays, Dr. Dink and Will Taylor.

#### Purchases Short Horn Cattle.

G. N. Lydian proprietor of the Mt. Maple Stock Farm at Irvington, has just returned from the Lexington Fair. He purchased some very fine short horn cattle. Kentucky only got one presentum on cattle, while Indiana, Illinois and Ohio were more fortunate. When it came to the "hoos" show Kentucky lead them all.

Mr. Lydian was exceedingly well paid for his trip and gained many valuable ideas relative to the raising of cattle and farming.

#### Steam Ferry.

Some of our progressive citizens are contemplating the building or the purchasing of a steam yacht to be used in the ferry trade between the city and Tolsonport. Should this movement prove a success the cost of ferry will be reduced one-half.

#### Once Back.

Will R. Bowmer left Monday for New York. He has been at home nearly two months visiting his parents and for the recuperation of his health. He is much improved and will resume his duties with the Continental Tobacco Co.

#### Good Preacher.

Rev. J. D. Hendrix, of Maingo, Ind., is in the city stopping with Elder Hays. He has the Christian church at that place and is a man of strong ability. He preached to a large congregation last evening.

#### Overseers Meeting.

There was a meeting of the county overseers of roads, Tuesday at Blokes. They discussed plans and means of improving roads throughout the county.

#### \$17.30.

Clovesport to Atlantic City and return via Chesapeake & Ohio railroad on August 11th. Tickets limited to Aug. 31.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought

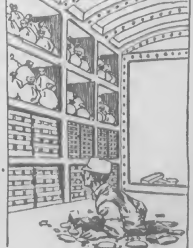
Beware of cheap imitations. The Signature of J. C. Watson.

### TIPS FROM CROOKS.

How the Bank of England Gets Valuable Information.

All sorts of old incidents occur in England's banking circles, where strictest measures are taken to protect treasure from the robbers and burglars, says the New York Press. Some of the institutions pay cash for information of and in some cases from the criminals themselves. The Bank of England's yearly budget always contains an expense item due to such outfits. The first experiment of the kind dates back to 1850, when the directors of the bank listened to a startling proposition made by a "ditch digger."

The laborer told the directors that he had discovered a new and unsuspected method of getting into the vaults, where the gold and silver bars were kept.



THEY DIGGERS ENTERING THE BANK OF ENGLAND VAULTS.

and that he would sell secret to them for money. The directors hesitated, believing that they had taken every precaution against loss from the vaults in getting up heavy masonry, with plenty of iron bars and by making the building up armed watchmen. But finally they granted the man, who seemed to talk fairly, a chance to try his plan, and a night was named for the undertaking.

One of the bank's young assistants, usually nicknamed the man with the growing chin, "I threw a rug on the grass plot beneath my window. Days flew by as days fly, and I picked it up again to find that the healthy green of luxuriant growth had given way to the sickly yellow of death and decay. Just so it is, my boy, when the brain is corroded over with the rug of old-fashioned ideas. From infancy I was taught by my preceptors to give useful presents, not silly gewgaws that would last but the moment. Thus was the rug thrown over the green of my gray matter, so that today I haven't got sense enough left to follow the plot of a farce comedy."

"That is the name of" began the astonished listener.

"Simply this, my boy, I gave my best gift nothing but useful presents. And your own sense has given them a start in the morning, isn't it?"—"Fort Leno."

with a redoubtful puff of triumph, while the great doors slowly swung to and he solemnly looked for the night. Then right about turn, and the procession marches back to the convent to deposit the keys in the governor's keeping, conveying by its passage an assurance to the people and garrison that they may rest in peace.

Once the gates are shut, it was easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for any unauthorized person to go into Gibraltar. Even a bearded officer returning from pig sticking beyond the lines would be confronted by so many formalities and the necessity of inconspicuously so many high personages that he would probably prefer to encounter the discomfort of a Spanish jail without.

#### Countess Elfr's Beauty.

Many years ago, when quite a young man, during a rebellion, Count Elfr was hiding from his enemies, who, having tracked him to his house, sent a band of "volunteers" to assassinate him. On hearing his enemies approaching and trapped like a rat in its hole, the count drew his sword and prepared to die, but the countess whispered, "Do not die; there is hope still," and removing the "volunteers" or flocks, and lifting up the mats and the planks beneath, she induced her husband to conceal himself in the hollow space which exists under the floors of all Japanese houses.

The murderers broke into the room just as the firebox had been replaced and demanded of the countess their victim. In vain they threatened and cruelly ill treated her, dragging her about the room by her long black hair. But it was of no avail. They could not shake her resolute fidelity. Thanks to her courage Count Elfr escaped and has lived to give to his country a new constitution and become one of the great statesmen of modern Japan. I often wonder when I see the countess, now a delicate, gray haired, little lady, at the courage and presence of mind that she displayed at that critical moment or that—Cornhill Magazine.

#### The Story of Some Ideas.

"Once in the 'young springtime,' casually remarked the man with the growing chin, "I threw a rug on the grass plot beneath my window. Days flew by as days fly, and I picked it up again to find that the healthy green of luxuriant growth had given way to the sickly yellow of death and decay. Just so it is, my boy, when the brain is corroded over with the rug of old-fashioned ideas. From infancy I was taught by my preceptors to give useful presents, not silly gewgaws that would last but the moment. Thus was the rug thrown over the green of my gray matter, so that today I haven't got sense enough left to follow the plot of a farce comedy."

"That is the name of" began the astonished listener.

"Simply this, my boy, I gave my best gift nothing but useful presents. And your own sense has given them a start in the morning, isn't it?"—"Fort Leno."

James, liberating the woman's personal flow of fine spirits, has been told. A gentleman, calling on the creator of "Monte Cristo," had been ushered into a room adjoining the host's studio, the servant telling him to go in, as M. Dumas was alone.

At that moment (says the narrator) I heard a loud burst of laughter from the inner apartment, so I said: "I would sooner wait until monsieur's visitors are gone."

"Monsieur has no visitors; he is working," remarked the servant, with a smile. "Monsieur Dumas very often laughs like this while at his work." It was true enough; the novelist was alone, or rather in company with one of his characters, at whose sallies he was simply roaring.

#### In His Eyes.

Sometimes a deaf man gives an answer which makes a wonderfully clear bit, although he has totally misunderstood the question.

"Is your wife a pretty girl?" asked an old lady of a pensive and very deaf old gentleman whose son had recently married the daughter of a prosperous grocer.

"No," said the old man calmly, "she isn't, but she will be when her father dies."

#### "Eaten a Whisker."

A good example of the caustic humor of a Scotch examiner Scotch this way from we know not where. It seems that Scotch parish schoolmasters are, on their appointment, examined as to their literary qualifications. One of the questions being called by his examiner to translate Horace's ode beginning "Ergo incrementum cere perennis," began as follows: "Ergo incrementum." (I have eaten a mountain.) "Ah," said one of the examiners, "ye needna proceed any further; for after eating 'a' dinner the parish was a pair mouthful 't' ye. Ye mean yer some wider sphere."—"Fort Leno."

#### The Will Not Over It.

Young Mr. Justward—My darling, why are you crying?

Young Mrs. Justward—I have just read a very funny story that all the world loves a liar. Harry, swear to me that you do not recollect their horrible fictions! Philadelphia North American.

#### The Worst Boy.

Burgling Bill—Is he lazy? No, he isn't, if that fellow was good he could never commit murder, but do it in New York state so he could sit down with his dick—Kansas City Independent.

Burge Party.

Miss Maria Bowmer gave a party for her visitors, Miss Lulu Hall, of Lexington, and Jess Todd, of Washington. For day arriving, as enjoyable barge party, up the Ohio.

There were something near twenty when, which made the occasion a most successful one. The party was very enjoyable, and the day was very pleasant.